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Sales at Vendue.

On every Tuesday and Friday,
WILL BE SOLD,
At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water Streets,
Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.
Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.

☞ All kind of goods which are on limitation and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation prices.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

For Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale a tract of 80 acres of land, on the Colchester road, five miles from Alexandria, adjoining the lands of Haywood Foote and Dennis Johnston. The greater part of this tract is fine meadow land, abundantly supplied with water. Also one other tract of 261 acres, on the Ravensworth road, about 6 miles from Alexandria, and one mile from the first mentioned tract, adjoining land of Thos. Janney and Mr. M'Pherson: the greater part of this tract is in wood, the soil good and highly susceptible of improvement from the use of plaster. If these lands are not sold before the first of January next, they will then be for rent.

CHARLES SIMMS.

Gill Nets! Gill Nets!

To the Citizens of Washington, Frederick, and Montgomery counties.

AS the General Assembly of Maryland will sit in the course of a few weeks, I take the liberty of calling the attention of the people of the upper counties to the subject of Gill Nets; that all those who may agree with me in opinion, may unite in petitions to the Legislature to pass such laws as may effectually prevent the use of them hereafter in the Potomac. Since the introduction of these Nets into our waters, the people of the upper counties have experienced the most pernicious effects of this practice. It is a fact well known, that many persons at the last season, after leaving their homes, with their teams, at the most busy season of the year, and travelling, perhaps, from 50 to 100 miles to reach the nearest landings, and after being detained there a considerable time, exposed to the inclemencies of the weather, and often without any shelter but what was afforded to them by the coverings of their waggons, while their crops too were suffering greatly at home, were obliged at last to return without any fish. Some procured their Herrings, but not one in ten could get the Shad they wanted for their families. These Gill Nets, it is said, are fished almost exclusively by persons from the Eastward—a covetous people they must be:—they would take the bread from our mouths if they could do it—and they certainly will the fish if left to themselves. It is stated they had 500 vessels engaged in this business during the last season; such a number of Nets will form such an obsturction in the river as to keep back the Shad altogether, and by breaking the schools of Herrings will render even the catching of them uncertain. And what adds to our grievance, the fish that are caught in this manner are not disposed of to our citizens, but are cured on board the vessels that take them, and carried as an article of traffic to some other portions of the Union, or, perhaps, to foreign parts.

The people of the upper counties are peculiarly situated; living remote from any of the Rivers, with which nature has so bountifully watered our state, they have only an opportunity affordeded to them once a year of procuring fish of any kind for their families; and it rests with the Legislature to determine whether they shall be deprived of this right, attended as it is too, with great sacrifice, expense and trouble; and it must be known to to the members that may compose that body, that fish, from long use and custom, have become indispensably necessary to our families.

If any doubt should exist as to the facts herein stated, I have only to observe that they will be entirely removed by referring to any one from either of the upper counties, who attended at the landings either of the two last seasons, particularly the last.

Having said much more than I intended, I have only to call upon all those who feel an interest in this business, to lose no time in getting signatures to such a petition as I have recommended,—and also to see and converse upon the subject with such persons as they may think proper to send as delelgates to the next General Assembly; and I have also to request the favor of the editors of the Fredericktown papers, to give these remarks a place in their respective papers, that the subject may be fully brought before the people of the upper counties.

ONE OF THE PEOPLE.
November 14

For Sale,

At the office of the Alexandria Herald,
THE CONFESSION OF
JOSEPH HARE,
alias Joseph Thompson Hare,
ONE OF THE MAIL ROBBERS,
Who was executed, together with John Alexander, at Baltimore, on the tenth day of Sept. 1818, for the robbery of the United States' Mail, near Havre-de-Grace, on the night of the 11th March last past; containing
A HISTORY OF HIS LIFE,
And detailing a series of robberies for the last 14 years, in the states of Louisiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia, Maryland, Massachusetts, New-Jersey, and in Canada and the Spanish provinces, to the amount of nearly ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS!
WRITTEN BY HIMSELF,
During his imprisonment, and published from the original manuscript, now in the possession of the publisher. To which is annexed a note by the publisher, giving an account of his escape and re-apprehension.

☞ *Price 25 cents.*

☞ Persons at a distance can have them forwarded by mail. October 19

This day is published,

AND for sale at the bookstore of JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
The Controversy between M. B. & Quæro,
which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of
ROMAN CATHOLICISM:
To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of Indulgencies—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.
BY A PROTESTANT.
Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

Books and Stationary.

ROBERT GRAY has just received for sale on commission, an invoice of Books and Stationary, among which are the following articles, viz:

Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shey's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs; Accidents of life
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Brownie of Bodsbeck
The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or single; superfine vellum cap writing paper
August 28

New Books.

Just received on consignment, and for sale by the subscriber,

TALES of my landlord, second series
New tales, by Mrs Opie
Zion's Pilgrim, by Robert Hawker, D D
Events of the French Revolution, by the baroness de Stael; O'Reiley's Greenland
Johnson's quarto dictionary, vol. 1
Taylor's Arator, 4th edition
Raffle's tour on the continent
Village sermons; Olive-Branch
Dwight's geography for schools, in which Europe is divided according to the late act of the congress of Vienna Also,
A few copies of Bible News or Sacred Truths relating to the Living God, his only Son, and Holy Spirit, by Noah Worcester, A.M.
Oct 19 ROBERT GRAY.

The Builder's Assistant,

CONTAINING—the five orders of architecture, selected from the best specimens of the Grecian and Roman, with the figured dimensions of their height, projection and profile, and a variety of mouldillion, modillions and foliage, on a larger scale, both enriched and plain, *with working drawings*, shewing their method of construction, selected from a number of beautiful examples, copied from the antique—for the use of builders, carpenters, masons, plasterers, cabinet makers and carvers—with *sixty original designs*, their plans, elevations, and sections; the whole exemplified on 150 copperplates.—By John Haveland, architect, and Hugh Bridport, artist—Is now publishing, by subscription, in numbers, at one dollar each. Three numbers are already received, and it is proposed to complete the work in fifteen numbers, forming three handsome octavo vols.
JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
November 24 tuths3w

50 Dollars Reward.

ABSCONDED on Saturday morning, the 15th inst. negro George, or George Griffin, the property of Miss M'Call, by trade a nailer, and understands some part of the blacksmith's business; he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, stout made, very black complexion, large eyes and mouth, with thick lips. He is a very artful fellow and has been in the habit of obtruding himself as a free man, and will no doubt attempt to pass as such, and probably get work—has a down look when spoken to.—His clothes not recollected, having various suits.

A reward of 10 dollars will be given if taken in the town or county, 20 in the county of Washington or Fairfax, or the above reward if taken 50 miles from town, with all reasonable charges if brought home.

Masters of vessels are cautioned against harboring or carrying off said runaway, as they will be dealt with according to law.
JAMES SANDERSON.
August 17 tf

Piano Fortes.

TWO elegant fine toned Piano Fortes, with the additional keys, for sale by JAS. KENNEDY & SON.
September 9

S. & D. Reed,

HAVE just received a fresh supply of SHOES and HATS, consisting of the following kinds:

1000 pair women's leather pumps
400 do do thick soles
300 misses' do do
500 ladies' morocco slips
200 do do with heels
500 do low priced morocco slips
500 children's morocco and leather shoes
500 men's & boys' bound leather shoes
400 men's low priced fur hats
400 do and boys' wool do
100 boys' white do
10 boxes lemons

All of the above articles are offered for sale at low prices for cash, and at the usual credit to punctual customers.—Country Merchants can be supplied at Northern Prices. August 28

Stationary.

JUST received and for sale by the subscribers, the following articles of very superior quality—

Black lead pencils
Quills
Penknives
Pocket-books
Mathematical instruments

Copy and cyphering books, record books, and other blank books of every description; with every article in the stationary line.—Orders for blank books executed with elegance and dispatch.
July 21 JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

Wanted to Hire,

AN industrious, sober man, capable of taking care of horses and driving a carriage. None need apply, who cannot produce testimonials as to character. Apply to the printer. Nov 12

Exchange & Broker's Office,

Georgetown, District of Columbia.

ROMULUS RIGGS,

AT his office, next door below Crawford's tavern, Bridge-st. Georgetown, will exchange all kinds of Bank Notes on the most reasonable terms.—All persons who may have notes on the banks of North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, would do well to call on him, as he is largely in the purchase of that kind of money, and will take it on the most reasonable terms.—Persons travelling to the Western Country may at all times get the Bank Notes of the Western Banks at a fair discount, by calling at his Office. For the information of all persons throughout the U. States, R. Riggs makes it known, that all of the Banks of the District of Columbia pay their notes on demand in specie; and it would be much to the advantage of the merchants, and trading to the South and west, to encourage the circulation of the Notes of the Banks of Georgetown, Washington and Alexandria, as it will at all times answer for remittances to the large commercial and Atlantic towns;—all persons emigrating or travelling to the westward should be very particular and take the Notes of the Banks of the District of Columbia, as they will find them the most current, there being no counterfeits on the District Banks. The Merchants' Bank of Alexandria has long since failed—all persons should be on their guard, as they will be imposed on. August 18

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber about the 4th of August, Negro Woman LOUIZA—she is 25 years old, about 5 feet five inches high, and stout; has some of her front teeth out, and is apt to laugh when spoken to; she has a sister Marinda and a mother living in Georgetown, one above Semmes's tavern, and the other on Herring Hill, where she has been harbored for two weeks, and left there to come home, but has not done so. I expect she can be found in Georgetown or Alexandria, where she has many acquaintances. I will give the above reward if brought home, or lodged in jail so that I get her again.
ROBERT HARPER.
Prince George's co. Maryland,
September 8 dtf

Charles Co. Orphans' Court,

June Term, 1818.

ON application, ordered by the court that Eleanor B. Johnson, administratrix of James A. Johnson, late of Charles county, deceased, give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims by advertising in the Alexandria Gazette for three successive weeks. A true copy.
H. BARNES, Reg. of wills.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

That the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans' court of Charles county in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of JAS. A JOHNSON, late of Charles county, deceased: all persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the sixth day of May next—they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this sixth day of November, 1818.
ELEANOR B. JOHNSON, Adm'x.

☞ All those persons who have claims, and wish to exhibit them under the above notice, will present them to *Frederick D. Stone*, attorney at law, Port Tobacco, Chas. county, who will make the dividend when assets come to hand. E. B. J. Adm.
November 6 fnw3w

Soft shelled Almonds.

LINDSAY & HILL have just received and for sale,
150 bags soft shelled almonds, and
5 hhds and 40 bls old rye whiskey
☞ They wish to purchase FLAXSEED.
October 12

Just Lauding,

FROM brig Susan, from Portland, and for sale at the cabinet warehouse, lower end of Prince-street,
Carrioles, Waggons, &c.
together with Furniture and Chairs, viz.:
3 top carrioles, with plated harness
14 Jersey waggons, with harness
Bureaus; tables; sideboards
Dressing glasses; bedsteads; chairs
A few barrels No 1 mackerel
IN STORE,
A general assortment of goods in his line—*comprising the best variety in the district of Columbia:* all of which will be sold low.
ON HAND,
Mahogany, in logs and boards.
☞ Furniture, &c. made and repaired as usual. SAMUEL WARD.

Bank Notes.

1000 to 50,000 Dollars.

ROMULUS RIGGS,
At his Exchange and Brokers Office, Bridge-street, Georgetown,

WISHES to purchase from one to fifty thousand dollars of North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia bank notes, which will be taken at a very small discount. All kinds of western and other uncurrent bank notes exchanged on the lowest terms.—Persons travelling to the westward can at all times get the notes of these banks at a reasonable discount.—Bills of exchange and bank checks negociated on any part of the United States.—Notes of United States bank, and all of the branches, exchanged.
Georgetown, one door below Crawford's tavern, October 17.

I. HOIT'S
PRINTERS' WAREHOUSE,

NO. 32 BURLING-SLIP, NEW-YORK.

PRINTING TYPES, of all the kinds manufactured in the United States; the Columbian printing press; common do; standing presses, various sizes; printing ink, from the different factories, all kinds; cast and wrought iron chases, from the super-royal to the card chase; sheepsfoots; turnscrews; job and book sticks, with brass or iron slides; mahogany do; shears; spring steel points; common do; bodkins; saws; girths; ball skins for news or book work; ball stocks, do; ball nails; wool; wool cards; candlesticks; snuffers; imposing stones, with frames, for one or two forms; brass double and single rule; column rules; parchments; lye brushes; dust, proof and pick do; metal cuts of houses, ships, steam-boats, and stages; cherry and whitewood cases; do for Greek, figure and rule, flowers, and algebra; galleys of all kinds; frames with or without slides; case racks; swing troughs; wetting do; furniture of all kinds; letter, press and paper boards; mallets; shooting sticks; plainers; quoins; press blankets; page cord; blank cards; *Printing, Writing and Letter Paper*, of all kinds; together with ornaments and other articles, all of the best quality.

☞ A large assortment of second hand type, of almost every description, for sale as above, specimens of any fount of which will be forwarded to order.

Every kind of PRINTING and WRITING PAPER, supplied at the manufacturer's price. October 8

Musical Tuition.

THE subscriber, at the solicitation of many individuals, is induced to take the house next door to Mr. Moore's Notary office, Prince-street, where he will teach Instrumental Music this winter. He assures those who may patronize him, that his utmost efforts shall be exerted to give perfect satisfaction. Subscription papers are left at Mr. Gray's bookstore.

Ladies will be taught on the Double or Single Flageolet, and Music arranged and neatly copied.
Oct 29 LIONEL J. LARKIN.

Gone to the Southward or Westward,

A YELLOW WOMAN, called Celia Detcher, in the 23d year of her age, about 5 feet 2 or 3 inches high—marks like moles on the right side of her face, which, with several letters on her left arm, were made with india ink. She is about four months gone in a state of pregnancy—followed her husband, Jim Clark, a yellow man, who was purchased from this place and taken away in company with a large number of slaves, about two weeks ago, by a man of the name of Basset. It is supposed they have gone to the westward: Celia was born free, and had with her a notarial certificate of her freedom, and description of her person. Her mother, the subscriber, is much afflicted by her manner of going away, and desires that any humane people who may chance to meet with her, will persuade her to return, being apprehensive that when she gets into a strange country, where she will be unknown and out of the reach of her friends and those who would be likely to protect her, attempts may be made by some avaricious and unprincipled persons, to deprive her of her liberty, and sell her *for a slave*. Should any such attempts be made, fifty dollars reward will be paid to any person who will communicate such information as shall lead to the conviction of the offenders, and the recovery of the woman.
HANNAH DETCHER.
Alexandria, October 6, 1818.

Tobacco and Segars.

JUST received and for sale, first quality
Chewing Tobacco,
AND
Fine flavored Spanish Segars.
Sept 29 WM. DEVAUGHN.

Lost or Mislaid,

A Red Morocco Pocket Book, (much used,)

CONTAINING sundry papers of no use to any person but myself—it also contained two notes, one of five dollars, and the other a two dollar note of the Central bank of Georgetown. The finder shall receive as his reward, all the money, by returning the pocket book with its contents to the subscriber. ROBT. A. MILLS.
Nov 9 3w

French Language.

WM. LANPHIER

INTENDS opening an Evening School on the 15th inst. at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of teaching the rudiments of the French language. Applicants can leave their names at Doctor STABLER'S shop.

The following certificate is subjoined for their satisfaction:

[*Translation.*]

Having had the pleasure of a daily intercourse with Mr. Lanphier for several months past, we the undersigned certify, that from the profound knowledge he possesses of the French language, no person is more capable than he of teaching its rudiments and different idioms (which constitute a part of it), and indeed the most correct pronunciation. We have also had an opportunity of conversing with several of the scholars of the same gentleman, who, without ever having been in France, speak good French.
PAUL M. GEBERT.
(Signed) *Doct. and Surg.*
EUGENE SHERIDAN.
Alexandria, June 24, 1818. Sept 7

Bolting Cloths.

THE subscriber has this day received, a large and elegant assortment of Bolting Cloths, of a superior quality, which will be offered for sale at the store of Messrs. Butts & Cawood, King-street, Alex'a, where he intends keeping a complete assortment in FUTURE.
Sept 6 AMOS ALEXANDER.

Boot and Shoe Making.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public in general that he continues to carry on the above business at his old stand in Fairfax-street, next to the Fish Market, where he solicits a share of custom, as nothing on his part shall be wanting to give perfect satisfaction. He flatters himself that his materials are of the very best quality, and his workmen are excelled by none in the district. He has selected from New-York and Baltimore the following articles for the use of his journeymen, viz: shoulder-sticks, shoulder-irons, rankees, threads, stamps, ranbacks, jiggers with and without handles, awls of every description, heel-balls of fine quality, colt handles, pincers, hammers, sand paper, rubbers, ran files, rasps, tacks, shoe horns, patent pincers, wax awl halves, Russia bristles, bones—with a variety of other articles in his line. He will employ
Two or three Journeymen,
to whom constant employment and good wages will be given.
October 26 GEORGE JOHNSON.

Scouring and Dying.

MRS. McCORMAC, lately from New-York, respectfully informs the citizens of Alexandria that she will scour and dye all kinds of cloth and silk, in the best manner. From a long experience in the above business, she hopes to give general satisfaction.

☞ The articles to be colored, are to be left at the corner of Oronoco and Water sts, at the morocco factory. Nov 6

New Publications,

AND OTHER VALUABLE BOOKS,
FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS.

RAFFLE'S Tour on the continent of Europe, in 1817.
Birkbeck's letters from the Illinois, with a map.
Sass's journey to Rome and Naples in 1817.
Hall's Voyage of Discovery to the great Loo-Choo islands.
Felix Alvarez, or Manners in Spain, by Mr. Dallas.
Mrs. Opie's New Tales, 2 vols.
Tales of my Landlord, 2d series, 2 vols.
Marriage, a novel, 2 vols.
Women, or Pour et Contre, 2 vols.
Melincourt, 2 vols.
Harrington & Ormond, 2 vols.
Paired, not Matched, 2 vols.
Deaf & Dumb, by Miss Sandham.
The Battle of Niagara, a poem.
Lallah Rookh, do
Childe Harold canto 4th, do
Lord Byron's works, complete, 5 vols. calf gilt.
Walter Scott's do. do. do. do.
Dr. Goldsmith's do. do. do. do.
Cowper's do. do. do. do.
Aikin's (London) edition of Milton's works, 3 vols.
Sharpe's British Classics, viz. Milton, Cowper, Thompson's Seasons, Dr. Young's Night Thoughts, Goldsmith's Poems, Dr. Beattie's Minstrel, Exiles of Siberia and Rasselas, 13 vols. on hot pressed paper, with Westall's elegant designs.
Madame de Stael's Considerations on the French Revolution.
Memoirs of the Cardinal de Retz, 3 vols.
Hume's Essays, 2 vols.
Phillips' Speeches; Curran's do.
The Emigrant's Guide to the western country, with a map, by Darby.
Traveller's Directory through the United States, with a map, by Mellish.
Thompson's System of Chemistry, 4 vols. with notes, by Thos. Cooper.
Conversations on Chemistry.
Joyce's Dialogues on do. 2 vols.
Dr. Middleton's Life of Cicero, 3 vols. [vols.
Dr. Hunter's Sacred Biography, 4
The identity of Junius with a living character established.
Dr. Gillies' History of Greece, a new edition, 4 vols.
Hume, Smollett and Bissett's History of England, 15 vols. in elegant calf binding.
Scott's Family Bible, in 3 vols. 4to and 6 vols. 8vo.
Collins' do. various prices.
Calmet's grand Dictionary of the Holy Bible, 4 vols. quarto, with numerous engravings.
Biddulph's Interesting Dialogues on the inconsistency of conformity to the world with the profession of Christianity. [lady.
Conversations on the Bible, by a Mason on Self-knowledge.
The Life of Mrs. Isabella Graham.
The Works of the Rev. John Newton, 11 vols.
Do. of Miss Hannah More, 9 do.
Gisborne's Testimony of Natural Theology to Christianity.
Jones on the figurative language of Holy Scripture.
Memoirs of Henry Kirke White, 2 vols.
The Ladies' Library, selected from Mrs. Chapone, Dr. Gregory and others.
Simpson's Plea for Religion.
Hervey's Meditations.
Young's Night Thoughts.
Mrs. Steele's Works, 2 vols.
Juvenile Anecdotes for the Instruction of Youth.
The Whole Works of the Rev. Dr. Isaac Watts, best London edition, in 6 vols. quarto, elegant calf gilt binding, with a fine likeness of the author.
Britton's Fine Arts of the English School, imperial quarto, with exquisite engravings (London).
Sir George Stanton's account of an Embassy to China, by Lord Macartney, 2 vols. very elegant, with a vol. of plates (London). [vols.
Wilson's American Ornithology, 9
School and Classical Books, of all kinds, in English, French, Latin and Greek; Bibles; Testaments; Common Prayer Books; Psalm & Hymn Books, of every sort and size, and in all kinds of binding.

Stationary Articles:

One pair of Cary's 12 inch Globes, of the latest edition, on high stands, with compasses and quadrant of altitude, complete.
A complete assortment of Mathematical Instruments, Gunter's Scales, Dividers, Parallel Rules and Protractors.
Sea Journals; Charts of every kind; Perspective Glasses; Day and Night Telescopes; Bowditch's Coast Pilot, Navigator and shipmaster's assistant.
Black lead Pencils and Penknives, of superior quality.
Real morocco Pocket-books.
Asses' skin Tablets, Wallets and Ladies' Thread-cases; India rubber.
Inkstands, of every description.
Slates and Pencils, by the quantity.
Reeves's genuine Water Colors, in boxes and singly; Playing Cards.
Sealing Wax and Wafers.
Box and Bonnet Boards.
Bandboxes, by the quantity.
Folio and Quarto Post, and Foolscap Paper, of all sorts; Drawing Paper; Ruled Music do.
Ledgers, Journals and Day Books; Record Books; Bank, Receipt and Memorandum Books.
Rand's Copy Slips.
English and German Almanacs.
A large assortment of Dutch and American Quills.
British and American Inkpowder.
Best liquid Ink; Spectacles in cases—With many other articles too numerous for insertion.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1818.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT AT WASHINGTON.

Thursday, November 26.

Gen. Harrison yesterday accomplished the object in which he was disappointed the day before. The bill for appointing additional clerks for the war department, was carried through a committee of the whole, Mr. Samuel Smith in the chair. Mr. Walker of N. C. desired to have the matter explained to the house; which gen. Harrison complied with—giving the same reasons for the measure which I stated yesterday; and these appeared so perfectly satisfactory to the house that the bill was ordered to be engrossed for a third reading to-morrow. It may, in effect, be considered as having passed. Twelve clerks—their compensation not to exceed 12,000 dollars—are granted but for a year only.

But the most important business of the day was a resolution proposed by Mr. Spencer of New-York, respecting the United States Bank, and which was in the following words:

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to inspect the books, and examine into the proceedings of the Bank of the United States, and to report whether the provisions of its charter have been violated or not, and particularly to report whether the instalments of the capital stock of the said bank have been paid in gold and silver coin and in the funded debt of the United States, or whether they were in any instance, and to what amount, paid by the proceeds of the notes of stockholders discounted for the purpose; and also to report the names of those persons who now own or who have owned any part of the capital stock of the said bank, and the amount of discounts, if any, to such persons respectively, and when made; and also to report whether the said bank, or any of its offices of discount and deposit, have refused to pay the notes of the bank in specie on demand, and have refused to receive, in payment of debts due to them or either of them, the notes of the bank, and whether the bank, or any of its offices of discount, or any of their officers or agents, have sold drafts upon other offices, or upon the bank, at an advance, and have received a premium for such drafts; also the amount of the notes issued, payable at Philadelphia, and at each office of discount respectively, and the amount of capital assigned to each office, together with the amount of the public deposits made at the bank and at each office, and on account of the transfers thereof; and the total amount of bills and notes discounted by the bank and its several offices since its organization. That the said committee have leave to meet in the city of Philadelphia, and to remain there as long as may be necessary; that they shall have power to send for persons and papers, and to employ the requisite clerks, the expense of which shall be audited and allowed by the committee of accounts, and paid out of the contingent fund of this House.

Mr. Spencer then unfolded at some length the grounds upon which he made this application. It was not his intention to censure the bank—as a member of the house he had formed no opinion, and he would form none until the facts belonging to the subject were fully investigated and reported to the house. He had no interest to promote, and no hostility to gratify by the inquiry. He owned no part of the stock of the bank, and he had no interest in any state bank to influence his opinion. Of the authority of the house to institute the inquiry, no doubt could be entertained, since the 23d section of the charter gave power in the very words of the resolution. As little doubt was there of the necessity of the inquiry. The agitated state of the public mind proved it. From one end of the union to the other, loud complaints were heard; so that it was equally due to the public and the bank that an inquiry should take place. If the charter has been violated, it ought to be known. If it has made undue discounts, and given unjust preferences, and by their means the price of stock has been artfully blown up until the bubble burst, and our citizens were thereby injured, it ought to be known.—But if the bank had done its best to answer public expectation, and create an uniform currency, and failed for want of power,—and it had acted justly and impartially, it ought to be known, in order that public confidence should be restored to an institution so intimately connected with the dearest interests of the country.

Mr. Maclane of Delaware said, that as the proposed inquiry involved matter of extraordinary magnitude, it became the house to proceed with the most cautious deliberation. He was by no means opposed to the inquiry; but wished that full time might be allowed for deliberation and for action.—Besides, as it must be remembered that during last session, the Senate had passed a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information on that subject, the house could not but consider it as no more than proper decorum to wait for the report of that officer. [Here the speaker interrupted Mr. Maclane, to remind him that the inquiries of the senate had nothing to do with the proceedings in that house.] Mr. Maclane said that he was averse to the house proceeding in the business on uncertain floating rumours, and therefore moved that the resolution should be laid on the table, and printed. To this course Mr. Spencer said he had no objection; but was desirous that the resolution should be again taken up at as early a day as possible.—The resolution was therefore ordered to lie upon the table, and to be printed.

On motion of Mr. Silsbee it was resolved, that the committee of ways and means be instructed to inquire into the expediency of allowing, in cases of exportation of goods intitled to debenture, the same time (twenty days) for completing the export entry and oath, as allowed by the act of the 20th of April last, for executing export bonds, in lieu of the ten days within which it is now required that the said oath and entry shall be completed.

A bill allowing the sale of lots on the north side of Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, was opposed in a committee of the whole by Gen. Smith, as an infringement on the original plan of the city, for the purpose of interested speculation. The committee reported progress and got leave to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Whitman, it was resolved, that the committee on pensions, and revolutionary claims, be instructed forthwith to prepare a bill granting——to the individuals in whose favor a bill for that purpose passed that house in last session, and at the rates and from the periods prescribed by said bill.

ANOTHER ODD FISH.

The Connecticut Gazette, contains a description of a fish found dead, upon the shore south of Fisher's Island. It was discovered by two fishermen, who brought the *tail* to New London, and who were immediately despatched to bring the *head* and *skin*, but on their arrival at the spot, the crows had destroyed the *body*, which they had previously opened, and represent the intestines to consist of a single canal: the *body* being devoured, is assigned as the reason for not bringing the *head*, which is what they were sent for. It is a pity that the crows should have been so ravenous, as some folks might have obtained very valuable hints on internal navigation, from the single canal intestines of this curious fish.—According to the description given by the fishermen, the fish was 30 feet long, and there can be no doubt that it was the sea serpent, which is very ingeniously killed and devoured by the crows. The story of the sea serpent is very happily terminated: it could not have made a better exit, than in company with that of the *three black crows*. [*Franklin Gazette.*

At the late session of the District Court of the United States, in this town, it was decreed, that a quantity of cochineal and jalap landed at this port in March, 1817, from the brig Independentia del Sud, captain Chaytor, under the Independent flag of Buenos Ayres, which articles had been duly libelled by the Spanish Consul here on behalf of the original owners, should be sold, and the proceeds held subject to the future order of the Court. [*Norfolk Herald.*

Extract of a letter from Amsterdam, dated 23d Sept. 1818, to a respectable commercial house in Baltimore.

"We had this pleasure on 4th ult. and since have not been favored with any of your respectable letters. The present serves chiefly to continue our advices, which we hope may be found acceptable. Rice has slackened since our last, and prices remain nominal 95 a 90g.

"Tobaccos are much in demand: our stock is about 430 hhds. Maryland 1500 do Kentucky, 220 do. Virginia, 250 do. Georgia and Carolina, 400 patacks Varinas; about 50 hhds. fine fat Richmond tobacco sold this week at 141s. We think however these prices too high to offer any safe reliance.

"Our stock of cottons is about 700 bags Surrinam; 40 do. Louisiana; 60 do. Upland; 1800 do. Smyrna; 1800 Bengal, and should the price of your cottons be more moderate there would be a prospect of a very active trade in them.

"About 6000 ½ chests tea sold lately, viz. Souchong 31 a 40s. Hyson Skin 30 a 34s. Hyson 53 a 65c. Imperial 60 a 65c. some Sanglo 32s. and Tunkay 33s.

"Our stock of hides is small, and the Buenos Ayres is in good and steady demand at advancing prices. Gin is lower."

[*Federal Republican.*

ON SOUTH-AMERICAN AFFAIRS.

From the National Intelligencer.

DOCUMENTS

Referred to in the President's Message at the commencement of the second session of the fifteenth Congress.

Mr. Rodney to the Secretary of State.

[CONTINUED.]

Gen. Artigas (who bears the character of chief of the Orientals, as has been already stated, and has also assumed that of the Protector of the Entre Rios and Santa Fee) was originally in the royal service, a captain in a provincial corps. In this he continued for some time after the revolution had commenced at Buenos Ayres. But, in the year 1811, taking offence, as it is said, at some conduct of the Spanish commandant of Colonia, he abandoned the royal cause, and entered into the service of the patriots. So early as the year 1813, when acting against Monte Video, he became dissatisfied with Sarratea, the commander in chief from Buenos Ayres. On his removal from the head of the army, he quarrelled with Gen. Rondeau, who, it was supposed, would have been acceptable to him, and finally withdrew, before the siege of Monte Video was finished under Gen. Alvear.—For this conduct, Posadas, when he succeeded to the government, treated him as a deserter from their service. By a proclamation, he offered a reward for his apprehension, and set a price upon his head: an act which Gen. Artigas never forgot or forgave.

During the subsequent dictatorship of Alvear, he induced the Calbildo of Buenos Ayres to issue a similar proclamation against Gen. Artigas. When Alvear was dismissed, the people of Buenos Ayres endeavored to atone for their conduct by burning, with every mark of ignominy, the degrading proclamation. They also addressed a conciliatory letter to the general, and received from him a corresponding answer. These were preliminary to a fruitless attempt at reconciliation, made by the director ad interim, Col Alvares, who succeeded Alvear. The correspondence on this occasion is annexed. (Appendix H.) Other endeavors to reconcile him have failed, notwithstanding the changes in the office of director at Buenos Ayres. On one occasion, the proposition was made, that the Banda Oriental should remain independent of Buenos Ayres, and merely send deputies to the general congress, to concert measures against the common enemy. On another, when the Portuguese army was approaching the frontiers of the Banda Oriental, an effort was made by Puerrydon to reconcile him, and to unite him in the common defence. Ample supplies of arms, and munitions of war, were offered, and some furnished; but this attempt also failed.

In order that a fuller view of this subject may be had, I have subjoined a translated copy of an animated letter from Gen. Artigas to Mr. Pueyrredon. (Appendix I). It is but justice to add, that Gen. Artigas is thought, by persons entitled to credit, to be a firm friend to the independence of the country. To express a decided opinion on this delicate question would scarcely be expected of me, as my position did not command a view of the whole ground. I had not the satisfaction to be derived from a personal interview with Gen. Artigas, who is, unquestionably, a man of rare and singular talents. But if I were to hazard a conjecture, I think it not improbable, that in this, as in most family disputes, there have been faults on both sides. It is to be lamented that they are in open hostility.—The war has been prosecuted with great animosity; and, in two late engagements, the troops of Buenos Ayres have been defeated with great loss. By some it was said that the inhabitants of the eastern shore were anxious that a reconciliation would take place, whilst the people in the country preferred their present state.

I must not omit to take a glance at the situation of Paraguay. This provtnce presents a singular spectacle. It stands aloof from the rest. The people, with the aid of the few remaining royal troops, repulsed an army, sent to compel them to join the common standard. Very soon afterwards they expelled the royalists, and set up for themselves. Since this period, they appear to have adopted a partial non-intercouse system. But Buenos Ayres, on one occasion, succeeded in obtaining an understanding with them. Some suspect that they are secretly inimical to the existing order of things, and wish to keep themselves within their shell, that, in case of a change, they may profit by future events; others calculate with some confidence on their ultimate union with Buenos Ayres, with which, at present, they indulge a limited, and reluctant intercourse. Paraguay is under the immediate control of a person named Francia, who styles himself director of Paraguay.

From the domestic concerns of the provinces, we naturally turn to their foreign relations. On this subject the commissioners were informed that they had nothing more than a friendly understanding with any foreign nation. With the Portuguese government they concluded an arrangement in 1812, under the mediation, it is said, of the British, with respect to the Banda Oriental. They have since had a correspondence with them on the subject of their entrance into that province, and the forcible occupation by a Portuguese army of the city of Monte Video, of which a copy is annexed. (Appendix I.) This will present the state of affairs between Buenos Ayres and the Brazils, which has been the theme of much discussion. The superior naval force of the Portuguese, stationed in the river La Plata, could have effectually blockaded all the ports of Buenos Ayres.—By this means they would have prevented supplies of arms and munitions of war, and entirely destroyed the great source of revenue to the state, the duties on imports and tonnage, at a season when money was much wanted. For about this period Buenos Ayres had a powerful army to contend with on the side of Peru, and had taken the burthen of the renewed contest of Chili with Spain. Under such circumstances, they were in some measure obliged to adopt a cautious and moderate policy.—Their conduct in this respect seems to have been coerced. Their unhappy state with the Orientals had also an influence on their measures; they alledged that the restless conduct of Artigas had furnished the Portuguese a pretext for the invasion; but, it is probable that they will ultimately break with the government of Brazils.

The British government has, through their official agents, entered into commercial stipulations with general Artigas, as the chief of the Orientals, on the subject of their trade with the eastern shore. A copy of this instrument will be found in appendix K.

The government of Buenos Ayres have a confidential person in Europe, soliciting from England, and other powers, it is said, assistance of every kind, and a recognition of their independence. England has a consul, who, with her naval commander on that station, appeared to conduct the confidential affairs of the British cabinet with the government of Buenos Ayres.

What effects the victory of Maipu will produce abroad, it would be hazardous in me to conjecture. Whether like the capture of Burgoyne, it will procure for the United Provinces foreign alliances, I cannot pretend to say.

From a source which is entitled to credit, I was informed that the raising and embarkation of Osorio's army in Peru was not accomplished without serious difficulties. Alternate force and persuasion were used to collect them, and nothing but the name, character, and promises of their general, could have induced them to go on board of the vessels prepared for the purpose, at the port of Callao. Some of them were actually in a state of mutiny, notwithstanding they were told they would be received with open arms by their brethren in Chili.

The forces finally embarked, agreeably to an account furnished by a gentleman of undoubted veracity on the spot, consisted of the following troops:

1 company of artillery	70
1 do. sappers and miners	81
Regiment of Brugos	900
Do. of San Carlos infantry	907
Do. of Arequipa	1000
Arequipa dragoons	260
Lamas	141
	3262

This army was composed of all the regular soldiers they could spare from Lima, who were united, at Talcaguna, to the royal forces left in Chili. By the battle of Maipu it has ceased to exist. The probable effects in Peru, and other parts of South America, may be conjectured, but cannot be affirmed. The same gentleman who has been mentioned, and who is conversant in Peruvian affairs, apprehended that important changes would result:

I cannot conclude this paper without drawing your attention to a rapid survey of the reforms and improvement in the province of Buenos Ayres, produced by the revolution, and its influence on knowledge, society and manners.

The effects of the revolution are visible in the changes produced in the state of society. The difference in the freedom of acting and thinking, which preceded the revolution, must necessarily be great. The freedom of commerce must have given a spring to exertions of native enterprize and intelligence, while the active scenes of war and politics, for the last ten years, have awakened the genius of the country, which had so long slumbered. The generation now on the stage may almost be said to have been reared under a new order of things. The common stock of ideas among the people has been greatly augmented; the natural consequence of the important political events which daily transpire, and in which every man, like the citizen of Athens feels an interest. The newspapers are every where circulated, together with the manifestoes of the goverument, which is obliged to court the approbation of public opinion on all measures of moment. It is not very unusual for the same countryman, who, a few years ago never troubled himself about any thing beyond the narrow circle of his domestic concerns, to purchase a newspaper on coming to town as a matter of course; and if unable to read, to request the first one he meets to do him that favor. The country curates are, moreover, enjoined to read the newspapers and manifestoes regularly to their flocks. The spirit of improvement may be seen in every thing. Even some of those who are under the influence of strong prejudices against the revolution, frequently remark the changes for better which have taken place. Their habits, manners, dress and mode of living have been improved by intercourse with strangers, and the free introduction of foreign customs, particularly English, American & French. Great prejudices prevail against whatever is Spanish. It is even offensive to them to be called by this name; they prefer to be identified with the aborigines of the country. The appellation which they have assumed, and in which they take a pride, is that of South Americans,

A powerful stimulus must necessarily have been given to their industry, by two important circumstances, the dimunition in prices of foreign merchandise, and the great increase in value of the products of the country, with the consequent rise of property. Though the grounds in the neighborhood of cities are highly improved, as I have already stated, agriculture, comparatively speaking, is in a low condition. In general the lands are badly tilled—the plough is rarely used, and the substitute is a very indifferent one. But notwithstanding the disadvantages of the present method of culture, I was informed by reputable persons that the average crop of wheat is not less than 50 bushels per acre in good seasons.

On the subject of religion, especially, the change in the public mind has been very great. The catholic faith is established as that of the state, but there are many advocates, both in conversation and in writing of universal toleration. Some members of congress are strongly in favor of it, but the ignorant and superstitious part of the people, together with the regular clergy, would not be satisfied with such a measure—while the liberality prevailing among the better informed classes is such as to secure a virtual toleration for the present. Besides, from the circumstance of their being no sects in the country, such a provision may wait the progress of liberality in public opinion. In fact, the human mind has been set free, on all matters of a general abstract nature, although the liberty of the press is circumscribed in some degree with respect to strictures on public measures and men, and the established religion; but there is neither inquisition nor previous license. They acknowledge the pope as a spiritual head merely, and do not think him entitled to any authority to interfere in their temporal concerns. His bull in favor of the king of Spain against the colonists, which may be almost regarded as an excommunication, produced little or no sensation.

The number of monks and nuns never were very great in Buenos Ayres, when compared with other portions of the Spanish dominions. They have diminished since the revolution. There was at one time a positive law passed, forbidding any one to become a monk or a nun: but they were obliged to repeal it, and it was afterwards passed with some modifications. The restrictions substituted, aided by public opinion, have nearly produced the desired effect. Few of the youth of the country apply themselves to the study of theology, since other occupations, much more tempting to their ambition, have been opened to their choice. Formerly, the priesthood was the chief aim of young men of the best families, who were desirous of distinction; as, in fact, it constituted almost the only profession, to which those who had received a liberal education could devote themselves; which will readily account for the circumstance of so many of the secular clergy directing their attention, at present, almost exclusively to politics. The regular clergy, who are not permitted, by the nature of their profession, to take part in the business of the world, or to hold secular offices, are many of them Europeans; but those of them who are natives, take the same lively interest in passing events, with the other classes of the community.

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He loves it pretty near as well as he does
A girl, when he gives her a smacker;
Her lips they are sweet, which he very well knows,
But not so sweet as a *chor of tobakker*.

The hopes of his life may grow gloomy and sad,
And his prospects become blacker and blacker;
But he feels like a man, and holds up his head,
When he takes a big *chor of tobakker*.

FURIOSO.

CHARITY SERMON.

☞At the request of the *St. Andrew's Society*, a charity sermon may be expected next Lord's Day, in the morning, in absence of their chaplain, by the Rev. *Elias Harrison*. Punctual attendance is expected of the members of the society; and as the collection will be distributed among the poor in general, others who may be inclined to contribute, will also be expected to attend. By order of the President.

ROBERT JAMIESON,
Nov. 26. Secretary.

☞**By Divine Permission,**
Elder John L. Dagge will preach in the Baptist meeting-house this evening. Service to commence at ½ past 6 o'clock.
November 27

☞The Anniversary Mee
ing of the St. Andrew's Society, will
held at Mrs. M'Dougall's, on Monday, t
30th inst. at 10 A. M. Members are
quested to be punctual in their attendanc
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Exchange Coffee-House
MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA...November 2

ARRIVED,

Schr Mary, Clements, 3 days from Bal
more; assorted cargo, to merchants of t
district.

Schr Hiram, Murch, 13 days from Sac
lumber, to J. H. Ladd & Co.

Sloop Ranger, Sawyer, 16 days fr Por
land; furniture, &c. to S. Ward, and
Blasdell, and ship timber, for the na
yard.

Brig Indian-Chief, Nye, from New-Be
ford via Norfolk; ballast, to T. H. Howlan

Sloop Virginia, 5 days from Norfol
coal, to the master.

Schr Elizabeth, Clark, 2o days fm Bo
ton; plaster, to Dunbar & Townsend.

Schr Liberty, Krindrick, 2o days fr L
bec; plaster, to the master.

A large number of inland vessels arriv
last night and this morning, with countr
produce.

CLEARED,

Schr Eliza, Weeks, New-York.
Melissa, Morrell, Boston.

Schr Geo. Washington, Jackson, hence
ar. at Norfolk 23d inst. 4o hours.

Steam Boat Report.

The Washington arrived at 3 P. M.
Nothing bound up, inland vessels excepte

Butter and Tallow.

WE will give the best market price f
good country Tallow, and for o
Butter a fair price, at our soap and cand
manufactory.

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR
November 27

For Sale,

A VERY LIKELY MULATTO MAN

AT present in the county gaol of Alex
andria, aged about 22 years. He
a good farming carpenter, waggoner, an
carriage driver. Apply to the printer.
November 27

Wants a Situation,

AS house-steward, and to superintend
large garden where two or more me
are worked, and also to attend occasionall
to the education of two or three childre
that may belong to the family, or to act a
superintendent of a farm—a single man, a
bout fifty years of age, of liberal educa
tion, who is perfectly master of the Ameri
can and European horticulture and agricul
ture, having resided many years in Virgi
nia. A letter directed to C. V. appointin
an interview in Alexandria, and left at th
Gazette printing office, will be strictly at
tended to; or any verbal information desi
red can there be obtained. References t
persons of the first respectability will b
given as to character, &c.
November 27 F3t*

John Jackson & Co.

WILL attend to the purchase and sal
of stocks, foreign and inland ex
change, real property, &c. &c.; and wi
make liberal advances on property consign
ed for sale at auction; and respectfull
tender their services to their friends an
the public. *They have for Sale,*

Columbian, fire and marine insurance
stock
Stocks in the several banks in town
Drafts on Boston
Several valuable dwelling houses, war
houses, lots and ground rents,
Which would be sold low, or exchange
for bank or insurance stocks of this town.
Wanted,
Bills on New-York, on London, on Phi
ladelphia. November 27

Removal.

THE subscribers will in future be foun
at the store of *J. & T. Vowell*, wher
they offer for sale,
2d and 3d proof W. I. rum
A few hhds muscovado sugars
Fresh young hyson teas, &c. &c.
☞*They will purchase Corn, Rye an
Flaxseed.* JOHN DOUGLASS & Co.
November 16 mwf6t

Isaac Entwisle,

Boot, Shoe and Clogs Manufacturer,

BEGS leave respectfully to inform hi
friends and the public, that he cont
nues to manufacture boots, shoes and clogs
of the best quality, at his store in King-s
near Mr. Perry's.

He desires particularly to recommend
trial of his clogs to the attention of slav
proprietors, and to laboring people i
general; from their superior utility in re
sisting wet and cold during the winter se
son, they will be found a great acquisitio
to this description of people, both from the
superior comfort and saving in cost.
November 16 mwf

For Sale,

A FEW casks of Messrs Murdock, Yuill
Wardrop & Co.'s London particula
Madeira: also a few hhds. & quarter cask
of their London market—an excellent din
ner wine. Both are warranted pure as im
ported. WILLIAM HODGSON
November 25 wfmt1F

For Sale,

TWO valuable house servants, one
thoroughbred waiter and dining roo
servant, 23 years old, and unusually heal
thy: the other his wife, a bright mulatto
neat, expert, and cleanly chambermaid an
washerwoman, 19 or 20 years old. Hig
prices are asked, but less, than the owne
is offered in New-Orleans, after deduct
ing expenses of carrying them round.—
The owner's only reason for selling the
is, that they do not agree with older ser
vants of his, which he is unwilling to pa
with. A likely and well disposed boy an
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And it's all for the love of *tobakker*.

He loves it pretty near as well as he does
A girl, when he gives her a smacker;
Her lips they are sweet, which he very well knows,
But not so sweet as a *chor of tobakker*.

The hopes of his life may grow gloomy and sad,
And his prospects become blacker and blacker;
But he feels like a man, and holds up his head,
When he takes a big *chor of tobakker*.

FURIOSO.

CHARITY SERMON.

☞At the request of the *St. Andrew's Society*, a charity sermon may be expected next Lord's Day, in the morning, in absence of their chaplain, by the Rev. *Elias Harrison*. Punctual attendance is expected of the members of the society; and as the collection will be distributed among the poor in general, others who may be inclined to contribute, will also be expected to attend. By order of the President,

ROBERT JAMIESON,
Nov. 26. Secretary.

☞**By Divine Permission,**

Elder John L. Dagge will preach in the Baptist meeting-house this evening. Service to commence at ½ past 6 o'clock.
November 27

☞**The Anniversary Meeting** of the St. Andrew's Society, will be held at Mrs. M'Dougall's, on Monday, the 30th inst. at 10 A. M. Members are requested to be punctual in their attendance.

By order of the President,
Nov 26 ROB'T. JAMIESON, Sec.

Exchange Coffee-House
MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA...November 26.

ARRIVED,

Schr Mary, Clements, 3 days from Baltimore; assorted cargo, to merchants of the district.

Schr Hiram, Murch, 13 days from Saco; lumber, to J. H. Ladd & Co.

Sloop Ranger, Sawyer, 16 days fr Portland; furniture, &c. to S. Ward, and N. Blasdell, and ship timber, for the navy yard.

Brig Indian-Chief, Nye, from New-Bedford via Norfolk; ballast, to T. H. Howland.

Sloop Virginia, 5 days from Norfolk; coal, to the master.

Schr Elizabeth, Clark, 20 days fm Boston; plaster, to Dunbar & Townsend.

Schr Liberty, Krindrick, 20 days fr Lubec; plaster, to the master.

A large number of inland vessels arrived last night and this morning, with country produce.

CLEARED,

Schr Eliza, Weeks, New-York.
Melissa, Morrell, Boston.

Schr Geo. Washington, Jackson, hence, ar. at Norfolk 23d inst. 40 hours.

Steam Boat Report.

The Washington arrived at 3 P. M.—Nothing bound up, inland vessels excepted.

Butter and Tallow.

WE will give the best market price for good country Tallow, and for old Butter a fair price, at our soap and candle manufactory.

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
November 27

For Sale,

A VERY LIKELY MULATTO MAN,

AT present in the county gaol of Alexandria, aged about 22 years. He is a good farming carpenter, waggoner, and carriage driver. Apply to the printer.
November 27

Wants a Situation,

AS house-steward, and to superintend a large garden where two or more men are worked, and also to attend occasionally to the education of two or three children that may belong to the family, or to act as superintendent of a farm—a single man, about fifty years of age, of liberal education, who is perfectly master of the American and European horticulture and agriculture, having resided many years in Virginia. A letter directed to C. V. appointing an interview in Alexandria, and left at the Gazette printing office, will be strictly attended to; or any verbal information desired can there be obtained. References to persons of the first respectability will be given as to character, &c.
November 27 F3t*

John Jackson & Co.

WILL attend to the purchase and sale of stocks, foreign and inland exchange, real property, &c. &c.; and will make liberal advances on property consigned for sale at auction; and respectfully tender their services to their friends and the public. *They have for Sale,*

Columbian, fire and marine insurance stock
Stocks in the several banks in town
Drafts on Boston
Several valuable dwelling houses, ware houses, lots and ground rents,

Which would be sold low, or exchanged for bank or insurance stocks of this town.

Wanted,

Bills on New-York, on London, on Philadelphia. November 27

Removal.

THE subscribers will in future be found at the store of *J. & T. Vowell*, where they offer for sale,

2d and 3d proof W. I. rum
A few hhds muscovado sugars
Fresh young hyson teas, &c. &c.

☞*They will purchase Corn, Rye and Flaxseed.* JOHN DOUGLASS & Co.
November 16 mwf6t

Isaac Entwisle,

Boot, Shoe and Clogs Manufacturer,

BEGS leave respectfully to inform his friends and the public, that he continues to manufacture boots, shoes and cloggs of the best quality, at his store in King-st. near Mr. Perry's.

He desires particularly to recommend a trial of his clogs to the attention of slave proprietors, and to laboring people in general; from their superior utility in resisting wet and cold during the winter season, they will be found a great acquisition to this description of people, both from their superior comfort and saving in cost.
November 16 mwf

For Sale,

A FEW casks of Messrs Murdock, Yuille, Wardrop & Co.'s London particular Madeira: also a few hhds. & quarter casks of their London market—an excellent dinner wine. Both are warranted pure as imported. WILLIAM HODGSON.
November 25 wtnt1F

For Sale,

TWO valuable house servants, one a thoroughbred waiter and dining room servant, 23 years old, and unusually healthy: the other his wife, a bright mulatto, a neat, expert, and cleanly chambermaid and washerwoman, 19 or 20 years old. High prices are asked, but less than the owner is offered in New-Orleans, after deducting expenses of carrying them round.—The owner's only reason for selling them is, that they do not agree with older servants of his, which he is unwilling to part with. A likely and well disposed boy and girl, 12 years old, will be taken in part payment. For further particulars enquire at the office of the Alexandria Gazette.
November 24 4t

For Freight,

The elegant and very fast sailing brig INDIAN CHIEF, William C. Nye master, burthen 158 tons, or 1350 bls. now in complete order for the reception of a cargo. Apply to T. H. HOWLAND.
11 mo. 27 6t

For Madeira,

Gibraltar, Figuara, Oporto or Lisbon.

The very superior brig ORLANDO, John Barnicoat master, burthen about 1800 bls: she has 1000 bls ready to go on board—for freight of the remainder, on reasonable terms, apply to

JOHN H. LADD & Co.

For Sale or Freight,

The schr HIRAM, Wm. Murch master, burthen 94 tons, or 7 a 800 bls: she is an excellent vessel, built of wh. oak, well found, and will be sold on very moderate terms. Apply as above.

FOR SALE,

The cargo of said schr. consisting of 77 M. clear and merchantable boards

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For Newport,

The schr RISING-SUN, Lot Doane master, burthen 900 bls: she is a new vessel and will take 200 bls. freight on application to

Nov 27 JOHN H. LADD & Co.

For Savannah,

(Or any Southern Port,)

The staunch new schnr ELIZABETH, Clark, master, burthen about 500 bls. will be ready to receive a cargo in 3 days: for freight apply to

DUNBAR & TOWNSEND,

Who have rec'd by said vessel and for sale
60 tons plaster and
100 boxes first quality Nova Scotia herring. 3t Nov 27

Sale at Auction.

On Saturday the 28th inst. at 3 o'clock, will be sold, at Central wharf, the brig *Nancy & Mary*, burthen about 2,700 bbls. She is well formed, her sails and rigging nearly new, the hull in good order, and may receive a cargo on board immediately. The brig can at any time be examined, and at the sale an inventory will be shown.

Terms made known at the time of sale.

P. G. MARSTELLER, Auct.
November 26

For Sale or Freight,

The schnr. POLLY & SALLY, burthen 85 tons or 600 bls, nearly new, built in the Chesapeake of the best materials; a very fast sailer, and can be ready for a cargo in a few days, and requires but a small expense to fit her for any voyage. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.
November 26

For New-York,

The schnr. BETHIA & BETSY, Jonathan Small, master, will commence loading in three days, having half her cargo engaged.—For freight of 400 bls apply to the master on board, at Central wharf, or to LAWRASON & FOWLE.
November 25

Cider and Apples.

RECEIVED by the brig George Washington, from Providence, and for sale,

193 casks Rhode Island lime
60 bls cider; 70 do apples
500 bushels potatoes
20 boxes mould candles
30 bottles pure ginger
9 casks cheese; 1000 wt. loose do

IN STORE,

60 bls mackerel
4 hhds Jamaica spirits
Country gin; N. E. rum
2 cases brown shirtings
2 do plaids and stripes—with a general assortment of Groceries.

For Providence, R. I.

The brig GEO. WASHINGTON, capt. Cushing, will take 200 barrels freight, and sail in a few days. Apply to E. CORNING, Vowell's wharf.
November 24 6t

John H. Ladd & Co.

OFFER for sale the cargo of the brig Harmony, from Boston,

25 tons old sable iron
100 bags white sugar
90 pieces Russia sheetings
45 bls Boston No. 1 new beef
150 boxes sup. quality mould candles
50 tons plaster paris [candles
10 bls cranberries, and boxes dipped

Also, cargo of brig Orlando,

17M merchantable boards
100 tons plaster paris
265 hhds coarse Liverpool salt
Nests Hingham boxes.

Also, for Sale,

The brig HARMONY, Thomas M. Paine, master, burthen 118 tons, built in Carolina of live oak and cedar, copper fastened, and sails fast,—has lately been thoroughly repaired, and is now in complete order for any voyage.
November 24

For Freight,

The schooner OLIVE-BRANCH, Capt. Farnsworth, an excellent vessel, carries about 1000 bbls. and will take freight for any eastern port on moderate terms, Apply to

LAWRASON & FOWLE,

Who have received per said schooner, and for sale, 150 tons of plaster.
October 24

For Freight,

The brig FAME, captain Davis, burthen 1600 bls. an excellent vessel, and sails fast: will be ready to receive a cargo in a few days, and will take freight for the south of Europe or elsewhere. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Who have for sale, rec'd per said brig,

300 casks fresh Thomastown lime
1200 bushels potatoes
1000 empty fish barrels

Also for Freight,

The schnr ELVIRA ANN, capt. Snow, carries about 700 bbls. and will take freight for N. York or Boston on moderate terms. Apply as above. Oct 31
October 31

For Norfolk,

The packet sloop OCEAN, captain Joseph Middleton, will sail on *Friday*, the 27th inst. For freight or passage apply on board, or to

BARNEWALL & POPHAM,

Who have for sale, received by the above vessel,

30 pipes L. P. Teneriffe wine
November 24 3t

For Sale,

The brig NANCY & MARY, burthen about 2700 bls., is in good order, and can be sent to sea at a small expense. It being necessary to close a concern she will be sold low. Apply to

LAWRASON & FOWLE.
November 23

For Savannah,

(To Sail in Six Days,)

The elegant, new and fast sailing sloop WASHINGTON, Charles Sanford, master. for freight of 300 bls. or passage apply to T. H. HOWLAND.
11th mo 21 6t

For Freight,

The brig PANOPEA, Eleazer Crabtree master, burthen 1600 bbls—is a first rate vessel, and will be ready for the reception of a cargo in a few days. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.

who have for sale said brig's cargo of St. Ubes salt of 7000 bushels.

Also for Freight,

The ship WILHELMINA, John Baxter, master, burthen 500 hhds. or 4000 barrels, a substantial vessel and will be ready to receive a cargo in ten days.
September 24 tf

For Boston,

The schr ZEALOUS, William B. Fisher master, burthen 107 tons or about 900 barrels, will be ready to receive freight in five days. Apply to

Nov 19 JOHN H. LADD & Co.

For Philadelphia,

The regular packet schr HILAN, John Hand, master, will sail in a few days; for freight or passage apply to the master on board at Vowell's wharf, or to DANIEL SOMERS.
November 20

For Sale, Freight or Charter,

The substantial ship FAIR-TRADER, capt. George Fletcher, burthen 3900 barrels or 535 hhds tobacco, now in complete order for the reception of a cargo and the performance of any voyage. For terms for the purchase of two-thirds, or freight of the whole, apply to

NOBLET HERBERT,
Oct 3 or FRANCIS ADAMS, jr.

John H. Ladd & Co.

OFFER for sale the cargo of brig Venus consisting of [and in fine order
500 casks fresh Thomastown lime, lined
25 casks red ochre

Also the cargo of schooner Olive, of
500 casks fresh lime
20 thousand merchantable boards
500 bushels potatoes

For Halifax, N. S.

The brig VENUS, C. Saunders master, burthen 900 bls. a staunch good vessel, having part of her cargo provided, will sail in a few days, and can take 500 barrels on freight.

For Boston,

The schr OLIVE, Michael Drinkwater, master, burthen 900 bbls. a good vessel, only two years old, and sails fast, will be ready to load in five days. Apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co.
November 16

John H. Ladd & Co.

OFFER for sale the cargo of sloop Sally, from Penobscott:

10,000 feet clear boards
1,100 bushels potatoes

For Sale or Freight,

The new sloop SALLY, captain Patten, burthen 50 tons, or about 400 bls. a good substantial vessel, will be sold on reasonable terms, or will take freight for the West Indies or coastwise.
November 20

For Sale (afloat),

THE cargo of schnr Joseph & Mary, of 140 tons plaster paris

ALSO,

The cargo of schr Alert, of 150 tons plaster paris

ALSO,

The cargo of schr Henry, of 500 casks lime
25,000 feet lumber

Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.

For Freight,

The new schnr HENRY, captain Young, burthen about 900 bls. will be ready for a cargo in three days.

ALSO,

The sch'n'r JOSEPH & MARY, capt. Farnsworth, burthen 900 bls. nearly a new vessel, and will take freight to any eastern port.

ALSO,

The schr ALERT, capt. M'Farlane, burthen 900 bls. will be ready for a cargo in a few days. Apply as above.
November 17

Oats, Wine, &c.

THREE thousand bushels heavy Pennsylvania oats
30 pipes very superior old London Particular Teneriffe wine,

Landing and for sale by

BARNEWALL & POPHAM,

Who have in store for sale,

135 bags prime green coffee
20 hhds choice retailing molasses
10 puncheons 3d proof windward island rum; 80 bls N. E. Rum
4000 lbs filberts, in good order
60 casks cut nails
10 half pipes London Particular Madeira wine; 10 hds Bordeaux claret
Boxes Medoc and Chateau Margaux do
Boxes China tea setts; sperm candles
Soal leather, &c. 1w Nov 25

NOVELTY AND DESPATCH.

Cohen's Lottery and Exchange Office.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 23d, 1818.

The Masonic Hall Lottery having been completed, and the day for commencing the great University Lottery not being yet announced—to fill up therefore the intermediate time, we have the pleasure to present to our friends and the public, the first

MARYLAND

State Lottery,

Under the superintendence of the Commissioners, appointed by the Governor and Council, agreeably to the Act of Assembly.

SCHEME.

1 Prize of	$20,000	is	$20,000
1 Prize of	10,000		10,000
10 Prizes of	5,000		50,000
20 Prizes of	1,000		20,000
215 Prizes of	100		21,500
247 Prizes			$121,500
1103 Blanks.			
1350 Tickets at	$90	is	$121,500

☞The Prizes payable in CASH Sixty Days after the completion of the drawing, subject to a deduction of *Fifteen per cent. only*, including the State Tax.

NO STATIONARY PRIZES,

ALL BEING FLOATING!

AND THE WHOLE TO BE DRAWN IN ONE DAY.

Which will positively take place in the city of Baltimore, IN FEBRUARY NEXT.

COMMISSIONERS.

General JAMES LLOYD,
General RICHARD K. HEATH,
RICHARD FRISBY, Esq.

Wh. Tickets.	$90 00	Eighths,	$11 25
Halves,	45 00	Tenths.	9 00
Quarters,	22 50	Sixteenths,	5 62
Fifths,	18 00	Twentieths,	4 50

To be had in the greatest variety of numbers at

COHEN'S

Lottery and Exchange Office,

110 Market-street, Baltimore:

Where the great capitals of 50,000 and 20,000 dollars were sold in the last lottery drawn in Baltimore, and where *more capital prizes have been obtained, than at any other office in America.*

☞Orders by mail, enclosing the cash, or prize tickets in any of the late lotteries (post paid) will meet the most prompt attention, addressed to

J. I. COHEN, Jr.
No. 110, Market-street, Baltimore.
November 25 wfm3t

Wheat, Rye and Corn,

PURCHASED by JOHN H. LADD & Co.
November 26 2w

L. P. Teneriffe Wine,

(CULLEN BRAND)

IN pipes, hhds. and quarter casks, of superior quality, for sale by

PHINEAS JANNEY.
11th mo. 25th 3t

Drugs, Medicines, &c.

THE subscriber has lately received an addition to his stock of drugs and medicines, and offers for sale a general assortment of first quality goods.

Spanish segars by the thousand, and 20 or 30 boxes of superior quality. Also, copal and japan varnishes, warranted good.
Nov. 25 tf A. B. DICK.

English & German Almanacs

For 1819,

WITH a large and general stock of *school books and stationary*, suitable for the country trade, for sale by
Oct 8 JOHN A. STEWART.

Book-Keeper Wanted.

WANTED a middle aged man to take charge of a sett of books. Apply to the printer. November 23

Lemons, Almonds, &c.

TEN boxes lemons, fresh
40 bags soft shelled almonds
15 hhds Jamaica rum
12 W. India do.
5 pure spirits
5 pipes gin
Green and white coffee
Imperial tea
Few bls shad, nett and gross, (prime)

For sale by LINDSAY & HILL.
November 20

Spirits, Sugar, &c.

A FEW puncheons of superior quality Antigua and Jamaica spirits
Superfine Barbados sugar, in hhds
Also, a parcel of cocoa nuts—for sale on liberal terms at No. 99 Union-st.
September 30 N. REILLY.

Mandeville & Larmour

OFFER FOR SALE

75 hhds and 25 bbls Barbadoes and Trinidad molasses
30 hhds 1st and 2d quality sugars
50 bls do. 20 puncheons W I rum
250 bags green & St Domingo coffee
75 hhds and 45 bls northern rum
110 chests and boxes gunpowder, imperial and young hyson teas, sup. qualities
250 reams writing paper
300 wrapping do
30 boxes chocolate, No. 1 and 3
100 cloves; 40 do raisins
200 nutmegs; 50 drums figs
20 bags Tennessee live feathers
250 boxes mould and dipt candles and
20,000 lbs hard soap—their manufacture
5 tons patent shot, 4 bs to No. 10 as.
4,500 lbs firkin butter
30 boxes Philadelphia mustard
24 lbs Cayenne pepper Oct 28

SALES AT AUCTION.

By JOHN JACKSON & Co.

ON SATURDAY,

—To commence at 10 o'clock precisely—

50 bags prime green coffee
12 puncheons Antigua rum
2 tons sheet iron
12 bls Albany ale
10 do herrings—excellent order
3 chests young hyson tea
2 pipes brandy
2 do gin and 10 bls do
20 kegs ground mustard
20 do ginger
2 bags do do
10 kegs lb. tobacco
8 sacks almonds
10 bags filberts
300 reams wrapping paper

Immediately after, a general assortment of most desirable dry goods.

Fall Goods.

JOSEPH JANNEY has imported by the ship America, lately arrived from England, a general assortment of

Fall Goods,

which are for sale on favorable terms.
9th mo 24 tf

Shoemakers Wanted.

TWO or three Journeymen Shoemakers are wanted immediately. Inquire of the printer. Nov 19

Flaxseed.

I WILL give the highest market price in cash for flaxseed.
Oct 12 FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr.

Wheat, Old Corn, and Maryland Tobacco,

PURCHASED BY
Oct 24 *LAWRASON & FOWLE.*

Notice.

THE subscriber intending to leave this place, respectfully requests all persons to bring in their claims; and those indebted will please make immediate payment.

JAMES D. PATTERSON.
November 26 3t

To Ship-owners,

MASTERS OF VESSELS & OTHERS.

THE subscriber (late from England) mathematical instrument maker, offers his services to clean and repair all sorts of *Ship's Compasses, Quadrants, Sextants, &c.* in the best manner, at his house on Prince-street, between Pitt and St. Asaph streets.
Oct 31 DANIEL MUNRO.

Notice.

THE subscribers have commenced business next door to Mr. Cook & Clare, on Ramsay's wharf, where they intend keeping a general assortment of GROCERIES, and who will sell low for good paper, or to punctual cash dealers.

SAMUEL & JOSEPH FEARSON.
November 21

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40 Dollars Reward.

STOLEN from our store yesterday morning a piece of Florence silk, French grey or pidgeon color, containing 90 yards. Twenty dollars will be paid for securing the piece of silk to us, and twenty dollars for the apprehending and conviction of the thief. JOHN JACKSON & Co.
November 10

John H. Runnels,

agent for

WILLIAM TRUE, corner of King & Fairfax streets, informs his friends and the public, that from the liberal encouragement he has received from the ladies and gentlemen of this town and vicinity, as well as from strangers who occasionally resort hither, he intends enlarging his business, and has taken pains to procure the very best of STOCK, also good workmen. He can assure the public that all orders for

Boots and Shoes,

of every description, will be punctually executed, and the work done in a style not exceeded by any other factory in the district. He has constantly on hand, ready made, a very extensive assortment of

Boots, Shoes and Pumps,

for ladies and gentlemen, and misses, boys and children, made in the most approved style, of the best materials, and by superior workmen. Those in want of the above articles can be fitted as well as though they had their measure taken, and the work warranted good.

Orders for Boots and Shoes,

will be immediately attended to, and such varieties sent as invariably to suit the purchasers. ☞Constantly on hand, a very general assortment of *Northern Boots and Shoes*, wholesale and retail, at low prices.
November 18 dtf

General Meeting of the Mutual Assurance Society.

A GENERAL MEETING of the members of the Mutual Assurance Society against fire on buildings of the state of Virginia, will be held at the capitol, in the city of Richmond, on Friday, the 1st day of January, 1819—at which time and place the punctual attendance of the members in person or by proxy, is earnestly requested, as business of the utmost importance to the society will be before the meeting.

By order of the standing committee,

JAMES RAWLINGS,
Richmond, Nov 19 P. agent M. A. S.

Form of a power of attorney to authorise proxies to vote at meeting.

——, the undersigned member of the Mutual Assurance Society against fire on buildings of the state of Virginia, do hereby constitute and appoint —— ——, of ——, to attend the general meeting of the said society, to be held in Richmond, on Friday, the 1st day of January, 1819, as proxy to act and vote on —— behalf on any business which may come before the said meeting, as fully as if —— w— personally present. In testimony whereof, —— have hereunto set ——hand— and seal— this —— day of ——, 1818.

Teste, [Seal.]
A. B. [Seal.]

HOUSES, LANDS, &c.

Building Lots for Sale.

SUNDRY good lots upon Cameron, Pitt and Queen streets, on liberal credit, at reasonable prices to purchasers who would build thereon. For terms enquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
October 13 tf

For Sale or Rent,

THAT valuable property called CONWAY'S WHARF, with the *Warehouses* thereon fronting on Union-street. The warehouses will be rented separately if required. For terms apply to
WM. HERBERT, jr.
August 25 tf

For Rent,

A three story BRICK dwelling house on Washington-street.—A very desirable situation for a family. Possession may be had immediately. JOHN LLOYD.
November 7

To Rent,

A convenient BRICK Dwelling house, at the upper end of King-st suitable for a genteel family. Also two frame dwellings and shops.—Apply to JAMES SANDERSON.
November 12

Houses for Sale.

The premises on the South east corner of King and Henry streets, containing 2 good dwelling houses, with stores ready fitted up for business.

Also, the brick dwelling house and store near to the former, lately in possession of Dennis M. Lyles, esq. for whose time therein, the 7th of Feb. next, it may be rented.

☞All the above property would be sold upon liberal credit, the payment being secured. Inquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
September 28 dtf

Gunston for Sale.

THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria—it is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Pohick creek, and contains nearly 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shad and herring fisheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in four tracts, so as to have one or more fisheries to each; these tracts will be again divided if requisite. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very fertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaister acts with an effect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania.—I have used 500 bushels in twelve months, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles, on a stream navigable for vessels carrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Dist. of Columbia prices are given for grain: being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to inclose the whole: it would be admirably adapted to grazing. The improvements are a large and very

substantial brick mansion, 40 by 70 feet, with every necessary outhouse, three commodious barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of lime are just burnt on the premises. There is a considerable extent of live fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peach, besides an abundance of other choice fruit. More than 150 acres are in clover, 200 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small grain. Any quantity of hay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might,) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canvass backs, the woods with deer and a variety of other game. Mules, cattle, highly improved sheep, farming utensels and household furniture can be had. The terms of sale will be accommodating. Property in any of the cities, negroes, bank stock, western lands, or lands near the Ridge, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Pohick Church, Fairfax county, Virginia.
September 4 GEORGE MASON.

Valuable Property for Sale.

THE subscriber is desirious of selling a handsomely situated farm, on Hunting creek, in Fairfax county Virginia, adjoining the Mount Vernon estate and the lands of general Thomson Mason, four miles from Alexandria, containing about 240 acres, 80 of which are in wood—40 to 50 in thriving meadow of clover and timothy—a part of the residue recently seeded with wheat and rye, and clover, last spring—the whole enclosed with a new post and rail fence.—The improvements are, a comfortable and

convenient frame dwelling house and kitchen, smoke house, poultry house, granary and stables.—There is on this place a rich and productive garden, and a large body of marsh meadow, from which may be saved annually 100 tons of hay, nearly as nutricious as the best timothy or clover.—With the farm would be sold a number of very valuable horses, cows and sheep; waggon, carts, and a variety of farming utensils and household and kitchen furniture; corn, oats and rye, and 40 tons hay. Also, adjoining the one above described, a farm containing 160 acres, recently enclosed, on which is a

brick house, which a trifling expense would render comfortable. The soil is excellent, and a considerable part might be easily converted into meadow.—it would be sold with the other or separately. Also, a number of valuable servants, male and female. To prevent unnecessary application, he would observe, that they will only be sold to persons residing in the District or its vicinity, and not to be carried from it. The subscriber will also sell the greater part of his household furniture, which is new and handsome. For terms of all or any part of the above property, apply to NOBLET HERBERT, esq. or
Oct 6 FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr.

To Rent,

That convenient dwelling house on Pitt-street, opposite St. Paul's church. Possession will be given on first January next. Apply to
MARGARET R. CHAPIN.
October 24 stothtf

To Let,

THAT convenient Brick house on Royal street, now occupied by Mr. Charles Tyler—possession to be had the 22nd of December next—for terms enquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
November 3

Valuable Property.

FOR sale—That commodious three story brick house on King-street; now in the occupancy of Mr. John Roberts.——Also three Lots adjoining, with the improvements thereon.—That elegant Grass Lot—lately the property of Mr. James Anderson, containing 2 3-16ths acres.——And the rigging, sales, anchors, cables, spars & water-casks of the barque Mary, in parcels, or the whole to suit purchasers.
Oct 31 JOSEPH SMITH.

Public Sale.

ON Thursday, the 10th day of December next, if fair, otherwise the next fair day, will be sold at Powell's run, about 2½ miles from Dumfries, (and on the road from that place to Alexandria) a variety of farming utensils and cattle; the latter consisting of horses, oxen, cows, sheep, hogs, &c
Terms of sale, cash for all sums under 20 dollars, and for all sums above 20 dollars a credit of three months will be allowed, approved security being given: in the former case the articles to be paid for, and in the latter the security to be given before they are taken away. EDM. I. LEE.
November 25 t10D

Notice.

BY virtue of a deed of trust executed to me by Charles H. Plummer and Eliza his wife, to secure the payment of a debt due to Thomas Swann, will be exposed to public sale, for cash, in the town of Dumfries, before the court-house door, on MONDAY, the 1st day of January next,

A tract of Land,

in the county of Prince-William, within 4 miles from Dumfries, containing by estimation 360 acres, (commonly called Racson Hill) or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the debt aforesaid, with all costs attending the sale.
J. GIBSON, Jr. Trustee.
November 26 1m

Farm to Rent.

ON TUESDAY next, December 1, will be rented until December, 1822, the Lower Farm, near Alexandria, late the property of Charles Alexander, Esq. devised by him to his son, Wm. T. Alexander. At the same time and place, part of the Farm on the Mount Ida side of the road. Particulars will be made known on the day.
Also, will be sold the crop of corn, hay, fodder, shooks and straw. The sale will commence at 10 o'clock, at the house of
THE MANAGER.
November 26 t1D

Public Sale.

ON Saturday next, 28th inst. at 11 A.M. will positively be sold at the Exchange coffee house, A TRACT OF LAND, situate on the north side of the river Occoquan, Fairfax co. Va. distant about 3 miles from the Occoquan mills, containing about 513 acres. Terms made known at the time of sale. P. G. MARSTELLER,
Nov 24 dt28N Auct.

Public Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust from Charles Ewell to me, and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of Chancery for the Fredericksburg district, I shall, on SATURDAY, the 26th day of DECEMBER next ensuing, if fair, and if not on the next fair day thereafter, proceed to sell at public auction, for cash, before the door of *Williams's tavern*, in the town of Dumfries, a certain tract or parcel of land called Millford, whereon said Ewell resides, lying in Prince-William county, Virginia, or so much of said tract as shall be sufficient to pay and satisfy the several sums of money, with interest, in the said decree mentioned, and the expenses of sale, &c. The sale to commence at 12 o'clock.
J. D. SIMMS, Trustee.
October 27 d60t

Negroes for Sale.

ON the 15th of December I will sell several valuable Negroes; among them an excellent carriage-driver, a good weaver and gardener, with his wife, an excellent house servant, and their two children; several men used to the plantation, and a good dairy maid.
The sale will be made, for cash, at Coton, the farm of Mrs. Lee, not far from Leesburg. For more accurate information apply to Mr. Charles Bennett, at Coton; or to the subscriber,
ROBERT M. NEWMAN,
Goshen, Loudoun co. Va.
November 11 t15D

District of Columbia,

Alexandria County, To wit,

ON the petition of JOHN D. BUCKLEY, an insolvent debtor, confined in the jail of Alexandria County, for debt, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said JOHN D. BUCKLEY, that on the 7th day of December next, (being the first Monday of the month) at 10 o'clock A. M. at the court house of said county, the oath prescribed by the act of congress of the U. States, entitled "an act for the relief of insolvent debtors within the distrct of Columbia," will be administered to the said insolvent, and a truslee appointed, unless sufficient cause to the contrary be then and there shewn. Ordered that this notice be published once a week for three weeks, before that day, in both the newspapers published in Alexandria. By order of the honorable Wm. Cranch, chief judge of the U. States circuit court for the district of Columbia. EDM. I. LEE, C. C.
October 24

Aromatic Snuff,

For Catarrh & Headache.

THIS Snuff, as celebrated for its agreeable fragrance as for its efficacy in the cure of recent catarrh and slow nervous headache, is used and approved by the present professor of chemistry in the university of Cambridge, Mass. and by some of the most respectable gentlemen of the faculty in the United States—It is also particularly recommended by Dr Waterhouse, late professor of the theory and practice of physic, in the above seminary—whose certificate accompanies each bottle.—Sold by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
Sole Agents for Alexandria.
September 24 tf

L. Masterson,

BOOT AND SHOE-MAKER,

RETURNS his grateful thanks to his friends and the public in general, for the liberal patronage he has received in his line of business, and hopes they will continue it. He has on hand a good assortment of the best Philadelphia leather, which he intends manufacturing in the best manner: for neatness and durability it will be excelled by none. He has on hand a good assortment of

Boots, Bootees and Shoes,

which he will sell on reasonable terms for cash, or to punctual customers at the usual credit, at his old stand opposite the Gazette office, Royal-street.
N. B. Two boys of good disposition would be taken as apprentices to the above business. Those from the country would be preferred. August 24

Juvenile Books.

THE following entirely new, with elegant colored plates, are just received by JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
History of Little Davy's new hat
History of Juliet—of Sophia—of Charlotte—of Edward—of Jane—of Mary
History of Beasts, parts 1 & 2—do do of Birds, parts 1 & 2
Dame Truelove's Tales; Moral and Instructive Tales; Juvenile Instructor
Description of horses; Ten Commandments; Ferry tuths2w Nov 3

Bank of Potomac,

October 31, 1818.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders, of the Bank of Potomac, that a dividend of 4 per cent on the capital stock for the last six months is declared, which will be paid them or their representatives on *Wednesday* next, the 4th inst.
By order of the Board,
October 31 C. PAGE, Cash'r.

Columbian Insurance Office,

October 31, 1818.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders in this Company, that a dividend of 9 per cent on the capital paid in, has this day been declared from their two-thirds profits for the last half year; and will be paid to the said Stockholders, or their order, at the office of the Company on Tuesday, the 10th November.
By order of the Board,
Nov 2 *WM. WILSON, Secretary.*

Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm of WILLIAM & JOSEPH FEARSON, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having claims against them are solicited to present them for adjustment; and those indebted are particularly invited to come forward and settle the same.
WILLIAM FEARSON,
JOSEPH N. FEARSON.
October 30 2w

Barn Landing Fishery.

I WILL rent this excellent fishery, for 5 years or less; application can be made to me personally or by letter, addressed to Pohick Church, Fairfax Co. Va. It will be useless to offer less than 300 dollars, that sum having already been refused.
GEORGE MASON.
Gunston, October 5

Alexandria, August 4.

WAS committed to the jail of this Co. as a run away, a negro man, who calls himself JOHN WEAKS, and says that he was born free in Prince George Co. Maryland, that his mother's name is Sally Green, who lives near the road leading from the Alexandria Ferry to the Eastern Branch bridge, adjoining one Hen. Thompson. He was committed to this jail on the 7th May last, and then called himself William Washington, but made his escape the 16th. He is about 25 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, stout made. Says he is known to Mr. Daniel Moxley, and Henry Thompson, of Maryland. The owner is requested to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs.
ANDREW ROUNSAVELL, Jailor.
August 8 law2m

Alexandria, Nov. 5.

WAS committed to the jail of Alexandria county, as a runaway, a negro woman, who calls herself MATILDA, and says she is the property of George Noble, living in Loudoun county, Va. and in the neighborhood of widow Powel, widow Baker and widow Baughgons. Said woman is about 37 years of age; short, and stout made; has on a black muslin dress & shawl; has a mole on the left cheek near the nose; says she has two children, one a boy called John, 2o years of age; the other a girl called Eliza, about 9 years of age, now living in Loudoun county. The owner is desired to come and prove property, pay charges, and take her away, otherwise she will be disposed of as the law directs.
AND'W ROUNSAVELL,
Nov 7 Jailor.

I wish to purchase several thousand bushels of wheat, for which a liberal price will be given. THOMAS V. HUCK.
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Orphans' Court,

Alexandria county, } 1818
November Term,

ORDERED, That the administrators of John Summers, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week for three weeks in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy.
Test, A. MOORE,
Register of Wills.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscriber, of Fairfax Co. Virginia, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Alexandria county, letters of administration on the personal estate of John Summers, late of said county deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 10th day of May next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate—and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 11th day of November, 1818.
SAMUEL SUMMERS,
Administrator of John Summers, dec.

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria County, } 1818
November Term,

ORDERED, That the executors of Nicolas F. Blacklock, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement 3 times a week for four weeks in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy.
Test, A. MOORE,
Register of Wills.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Alexandria county, D. C. and Charles county, Maryland, letters testamentary on the estate of Nicolas F. Blacklock, late of the county first aforesaid, deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 11th day of May next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate, and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under our hands this 11th day of November, 1818. THOMAS MUNDELL,
WM. RAMSAY, Jr.
Ex'rs of Nicolas F. Blacklock, dec.

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria County, } 1818
November Term,

ORDERED, That the administrator of Joseph Ingle, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement 3 times a week for two weeks in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy.
Test, A. MOORE,
Register of Wills.

This is to give notice,

That the subscriber, of Washington county, in the district of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Alex'a. county, letters of administration on the personal estate of Joseph Ingle, late of the said county of Alexandria, deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 11th day of May next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate, and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 11th day of November, 1818.
JOHN P. INGLE,
Administrator of Joseph Ingle. dec.

Orphans' Court.

Alexandria county, } 1818
November term,

ORDERED, That the executrix of John Coad, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week two weeks in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy.
Test, A. MOORE.
Register of Wills.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscriber, of Alexandria county, in the district of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters testamentary on the estate of John Coad, late of said county, deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 12th day of May next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate—and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 12th day of November, 1818.
DRADY COAD,
Executrix of John Coad, deceased.

Sales at Vendue.

On every Tuesday and Friday,
WILL BE SOLD,
At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water Streets,
Dry Goods, Groceries, &c:
'articulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.
☞ All kind of goods which are on limitation and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation of prices.
1n P. G. MARSTELLER.

For Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale a tract of 80 acres of land, on the Colchester road, five miles from Alexandria, adjoining the lands of Haywood Foote and Dennis Johnston. The greater part of this tract is fine meadow land, abundantly supplied with water. Also one other tract of 261 acres, on the Ravensworth road, about 6 miles from Alexandria, and one mile from the first mentioned tract, adjoining land of Thos. Janney and Mr. M'Pherson: the greater part of this tract is in wood, the soil good and highly susceptible of improvement from the use of plaster. If these lands are not sold before the first of January next, they will then be for rent.
CHARLES SIMMS.

Gill Nets! Gill Nets!

To the Citizens of Washington, Frederick, and Montgomery counties.

AS the General Assembly of Maryland will sit in the course of a few weeks, I take the liberty of calling the attention of the people of the upper counties to the subject of Gill Nets; that all those who may agree with me in opinion, may unite in petitions to the Legislature to pass such laws as may effectually prevent the use of them hereafter in the Potomac. Since the introduction of these Nets into our waters, the people of the upper counties have experienced the most pernicious effects of this practice. It is a fact well known, that many persons at the last season, after leaving their homes, with their teams, at the most busy season of the year, and travelling, perhaps, from 50 to 100 miles to reach the nearest landings, and after being detained there a considerable time, exposed to the inclemencies of the weather, and often without any shelter but what was afforded to them by the coverings of their waggons, while their crops too were suffering greatly at home, were obliged at last to return without any fish. Some procured their Herrings, but not one in ten could get the Shad they wanted for their families. These Gill Nets, it is said, are fished almost exclusively by persons from the Eastward—a covetous people they must be:—they would take the bread from our mouths if they could do it—and they certainly will the fish if left to themselves. It is stated they had 500 vessels engaged in this business during the last season; such a number of Nets will form such an obsturction in the river as to keep back the Shad altogether, and by breaking the schools of Herrings will render even the catching of them uncertain. And what adds to our grievance, the fish that are caught in this manner are not disposed of to our citizens, but are cured on board the vessels that take them, and carried as an article of traffic to some other portions of the Union, or, perhaps, to foreign parts.
The people of the upper counties are peculiarly situated; living remote from any of the Rivers, with which nature has so bountifully watered our state, they have only an opportunity affordeded to them once a year of procuring fish of any kind for their families; and it rests with the Legislature to determine whether they shall be deprived of this right, attended as it is too, with great sacrifice, expense and trouble; and it must be known too to the members that may compose that body, that fish, from long use and custom, have become indispensably necessary to our families.
If any doubt should exist as to the facts herein stated, I have only to observe that they will be entirely removed by referring to any one from either of the upper counties, who attended at the landings either of the two last seasons, particularly the last.
Having said much more than I intended, I have only to call upon all those who feel an interest in this business, to lose no time in getting signatures to such a petition as I have recommended,—and also to see and converse upon the subject with such persons as they may think proper to send as delelgates to the next General Assembly; and I have also to request the favor of the editors of the Fredericktown papers, to give these remarks a place in their respective papers, that the subject may be fully brought before the people of the upper counties.
ONE OF THE PEOPLE.
November 14

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For Sale,

At the office of the Alexandria Herald,
THE CONFESSION OF
JOSEPH HARE,
alias Joseph Thompson Hare,
ONE OF THE MAIL ROBBERS,
Who was executed, together with John Alexander, at Baltimore, on the tenth day of Sept. 1818, for the robbery of the United States' Mail, near Havre-de-Grace, on the night of the 11th March last past; containing
A HISTORY OF HIS LIFE,
And detailing a series of robberies for the last 14 years, in the states of Louisiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia, Maryland, Massachusetts, New-Jersey, and in Canada and the Spanish provinces, to the amount of nearly ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS!
WRITTEN BY HIMSELF,
During his imprisonment, and published from the original manuscript, now in the possession of the publisher. To which is annexed a note by the publisher, giving an account of his escape and re-apprehension.
☞ *Price 25 cents.*
☞Persons at a distance can have them forwarded by mail. October 19

This day is published,

AND for sale at the bookstore of JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
The Controversy between M. B. & Quæro,
which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of
ROMAN CATHOLICISM:
To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of Indulgences—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.
BY A PROTESTANT.
Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

Books and Stationary.

ROBERT GRAY has just received for sale on commission, an invoice of Books and Stationary, among which are the following articles, viz:
Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shey's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs; Accidents of life
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Brownie of Bodsbeck
The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or single; superfine vellum cap writing paper
August 28

New Books.

Just received on consignment, and for sale by the subscriber,
TALES of my landlord, second series
New tales, by Mrs Opie
Zion's Pilgrim, by Robert Hawker, D D
Events of the French Revolution, by the Baroness de Stael; O'Reiley's Greenland
Johnson's quarto dictionary, vol. 1
Taylor's Arator, 4th edition
Raffle's tour on the continent
Village sermons; Olive-Branch
Dwight's geography for schools, in which Europe is divided according to the late act of the congress of Vienna Also,
A few copies of Bible News or Sacred Truths relating to the Living God, his only Son, and Holy Spirit, by Noah Worcester, A M Oct 16 ROBERT GRAY.

The Builder's Assistant,

CONTAINING—the five orders of architecture, selected from the best specimens of the Grecian and Roman, with the figured dimensions of their height, projection and profile, and a variety of mouldillions, modillions and foliage, on a larger scale, both enriched and plain, *with working drawings*, shewing their method of construction, selected from a number of beautiful examples, copied from the antique—for the use of builders, carpenters, masons, plasterers, cabinet makers and carvers—with *sixty original designs*, their plans, elevations, and sections; the whole exemplified on 150 copperplates.—By John Haveland, architect, and Hugh Bridport, artist—Is now publishing, by subscription, in numbers, at one dollar each. Three numbers are already received, and it is proposed to complete the work in fifteen numbers, forming three handsome octavo vols.
JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
November 24 tuths3w

50 Dollars Reward.

ABSCONDED on Saturday morning, the 15th inst. negro George, or George Griffin, the property of Miss M'Call, by trade a nailer, and understands some part of the blacksmith's business; he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, stout made, very black complexion, large eyes and mouth, with thick lips. He is a very artful fellow and has been in the habit of obtruding himself as a free man, and will no doubt attempt to pass as such, and probably get work—has a down look when spoken to.—His clothes not recollected, having various suits.
A reward of 10 dollars will be given if taken in the town or county, 20 in the county of Washington or Fairfax, or the above reward if taken 50 miles from town, with all reasonable charges if brought home.
Masters of vessels are cautioned against harboring or carrying off said runaway, as they will be dealt with according to law.
JAMES SANDERSON.
August 17 tf